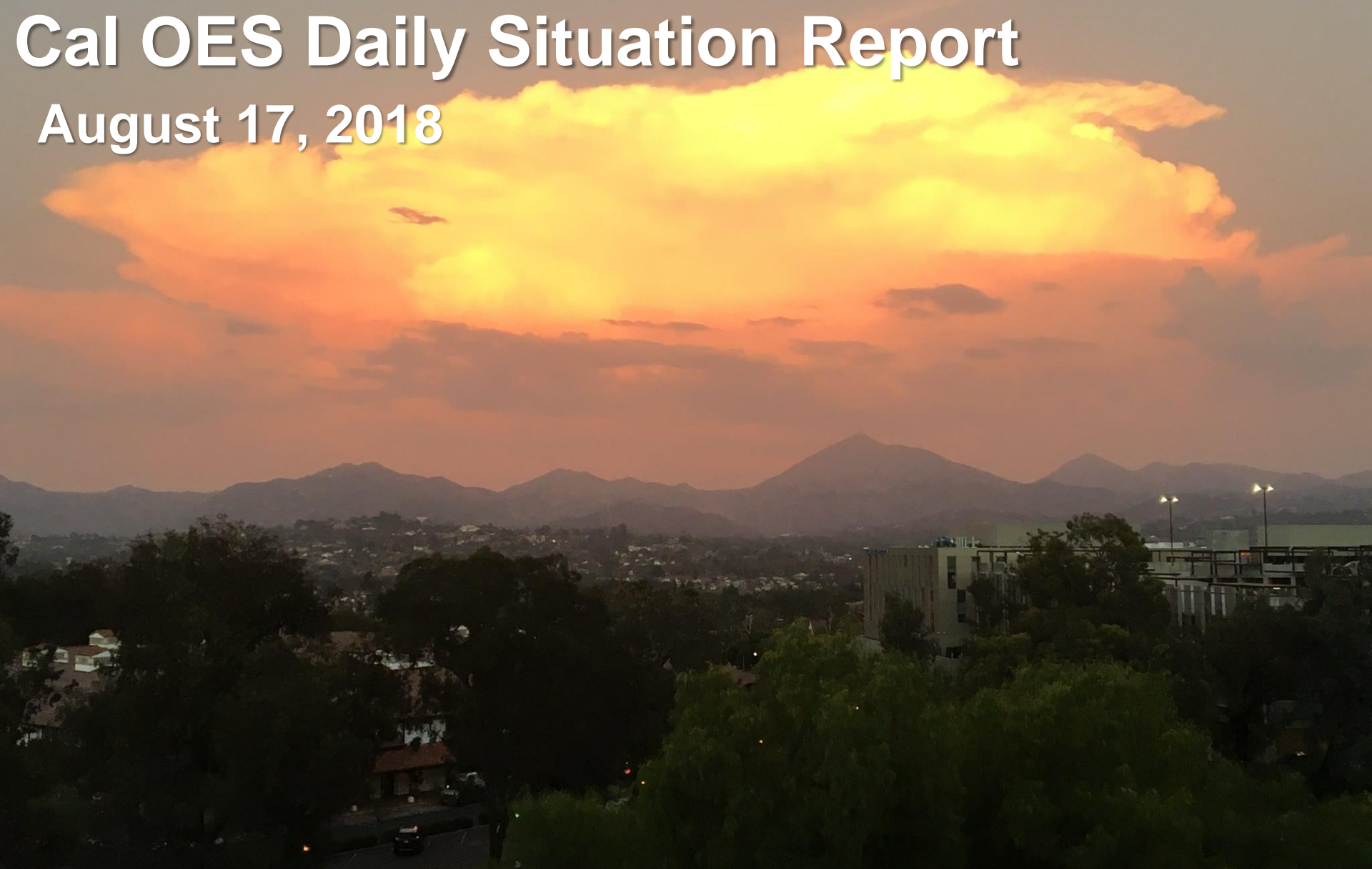


# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## August 17, 2018



Thunderstorm with very heavy rain over Mt. Laguna on 08/16/18, as seen from the NWS office in Rancho Bernardo, San Diego County.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES Activation Status**

### **State Operations Center**

**Level 1**

### **Inland Region EOC**

**Soc GeoOps**

### **Coastal Region EOC**

**Normal Operations**

### **Southern Region EOC**

**Normal Operations**

#### **Cal OES State Operations Center**

- Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level 1 in support of statewide fires, operational period 0700 - 1700 hours.

#### **Emergency Management Assistance Compact Resources in California**

The Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) is the Nation's mutual-aid system that provides a formal structure where all 50 States and 4 Territories have the ability to share resources across State boundaries. The Cal OES EMAC Coordinator in coordination with Cal OES Fire Branch are working together to request and coordinate needed resources via the EMAC Compact.

- The following states have EMAC resources in California:

- Idaho: 5 engines
- Montana: 5 engines
- New Mexico: 5 engines
- Washington: 10 engines
- Utah: 10 engines
- Texas: 25 engines
- Arizona: 1 Type 1 Helicopter
- Oregon: 1 Type 1 Helicopter

#### **Cal OES INLAND REGION**

##### **Water Supply Service Disruption, City of Stratford, Kings County**

On 08/12/18 at 1600 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) was notified by the Cal OES Inland Duty Officer that the wells servicing the community water system in Stratford, Kings County, have failed and the community has been without water since the morning of 08/12/18.

- Cause of failure was a disruption in power and a hole in the casing.
- Environmental Health, the Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator, Fire, and OEM have all been notified.
- Environmental Health continues to work with the State Water Board for addressing public health concerns.
- Temporary well is online for sanitation purposes only, and a Do Not Drink Order remains in place.
- Stratford Public Utility District (SPUD) continues to assess and fix issues on the main wells.
- **Planned duration is likely until 08/24/18.**

- See Fire Activity Slides

#### **Cal OES COASTAL REGION**

- See Fire Activity Slides



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION**

### **Flooding, Cranston Burn Scar Area, Riverside County**

On 08/16/18 at 1245 hours, the National Weather Service (NWS) issued Flash Flood Warnings for the Cranston Burn Scar area, prompting the county to issue Mandatory Evacuation Orders. Per Cal OES Duty Officers:

- Riverside County notified residents of the Mandatory Evacuations via WEA and AlertRivCo at 1252 hours.
- Riverside Sheriff's Office and CHP began closing roads at 1252 hours.
- Caltrans deployed changeable message signs to warn drivers of flooding and closures.
- There were no unmet needs and no requests for state assistance.

### **Activations**

- Riverside County EOC was activated at Level 3 (low level)

### **Mandatory Evacuations**

- Evacuations for Hurkey Creek, Apple Canyon, Fleming Ranch, and Strawberry Creek were lifted at 1700 hours on 08/16/18.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)**

### **Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in Backyard Poultry and Avian in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties**

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has detected virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in chickens in Los Angeles, San Bernardino Counties, and Riverside Counties.

- On 08/15/18, CDFA and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) have confirmed VND in a single backyard flock of exhibition chickens in the City of Santa Paula, Ventura County.

### **Declaration**

- On 06/26/18 at 1840 hours, CDFA has declared an Agricultural Emergency to provide the department the authority to activate internal emergency provisions and to expedite the request for permits and waivers required to perform designated activities under an emergency basis.

### **Quarantine**

- The CDFA State Veterinarian has established an animal (defined poultry species) and animal products quarantine in designated disease control areas in the counties of San Bernardino and Riverside. The quarantine is effective Monday, 07/09/18.
- On 07/26/18, the unincorporated community of Mentone was released from the control zone.
- On 07/30/18, the City of Highland was released from the control zone.
- On 08/05/18, the City of Fontana was released from the control zone.
- Effective 08/14/18, The CDFA State Veterinarian-Director has established an additional animal (defined poultry species) and animal products area quarantine (VND2) in designated disease control areas in the counties of Los Angeles County (cities of Compton and El Monte), and San Bernardino County (City of Chino).

### **Activations**

- San Bernardino Operational Area (OA) EOC is activated to Level 3 (lowest level) and will continue to monitor the incident.

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) is deployed to the ICP as an AREP (Agency Representative). Operational Period of 0700-1900 hours.
- See Fire Activity Slides

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
<b>Preparedness Level 5</b>	<b>Preparedness Level 4</b>	<b>Preparedness Level 4</b>
	<b>Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3</b>	<b>Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3</b>

**Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.**

### Cal OES Fire Missions

- **2018-FIRE-50115:** 1 OR and 1 AZ National Guard Type I rotary wing helicopters through the EMAC performing aerial firefighting operations, including water dropping and transport capabilities in the State of California. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-49023:** 2018 July California Statewide Fires: The Cal OES EMAC Coordinator in coordination with Cal OES Fire Branch are working together to request and coordinate needed resources (Fire Engines) via the EMAC Compact. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-48970:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000459, 1 National Guard Aircraft Crash Rescue (ARFF) Type I fire engine to support fire containment and suppression, passenger and crew rescue, airframe and cargo preservation at Carr incident helibase. 2 National Guard California Modular Airborne Fire Fighting System(s) (MAFFS) have been federalized for use by National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC)/USFS. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-48647:** 4 National Guard Force Packages/15 Hand Crews for a total of 350 personnel to support firefighting operations throughout the State of California. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47927:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000378, 6 National Guard and 2 Nevada National Guard Type I rotary wing helicopters performing aerial firefighting operations, including water dropping and transport capabilities; and 2 National Guard Type I rotary wing MEDEVAC's with night vision and rescue hoist capabilities assigned to support medical rescue operations in the State of California; and 1 National Guard Type 3 rotary wing with HELCO radio package to provide helicopter supervision to assigned resources in the State of California. (On Scene)
- **2018-FIRE-47755:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000359, 1 National Guard MQ-9 remotely piloted and 1 RC-26 IAA fixed wing aircraft with persistent infrared imagery and perimeter mapping capabilities to support aerial firefighting operations in the State of California. (On Scene)
- See attached PDF for additional Mission Request Tracking information.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION**

### **River, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County**

Location: Old Stage Rd. x White River Rd., 20 miles southeast of Porterville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Tulare Unit

Start Date/Time: 08/15/18 at 1558 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers as of [08/17/18 at 0810 hours](#):

- 670 acres, grass, brush, and oak woodlands, [45%](#) contained

### **Stone, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County**

Location: Big Canyon, 10 miles SW of Canby

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA/FRA, Modoc N.F.

Start Date/Time: 08/15/18 at 0808 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [08/17/18 at 0810 hours](#):

- [3,500](#) acres, grass, brush, juniper, 0% contained
- [Active fire behavior overnight with group torching and long range spotting](#)
- [Campgrounds and roads will continue to be closed with Hwy 139 and 299 to the east will be impacted with smoke](#)
- [No immediate threats noted](#)
- NorCal IMT2 (Dalrymple) assigned

### **Lions, Vegetation Fire, Madera County**

Location: Lion Point, in the Ansel Adams Wilderness area

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Sierra NF/Inyo NF

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [08/16/18 at 0810 hours](#):

- [10,765 acres](#), 70% contained
- VA Fed IMT NIMO (Quesinberry)
- [Moderate fire behavior with backing, running and backing](#)
- Steep terrain, remote, high elevation, difficult access
- Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## INLAND REGION (Continued)

### Hirz, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County

Location: Gillman Rd. x Moore Creek Campground, 8 Miles East of Lakehead

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Shasta Trinity N.F.

Start Date/Time: 08/09/18 at 0155 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/17/18 at 0810 hours:

- 11,035 acres, 7% contained
- Moderate fire behavior overnight with backing and isolated torching
- Structure assessment continues in Salt Creek and along Gilman Rd. and High Mountain Rd.
- Threat to high value private timber lands, critical wildlife habitat, McCloud Wild and Scenic River, sensitive botanical species, and cultural heritage sites
- NorCal Team 1 (Coots) assigned

### **Activations**

- SOC Geo OPS has assumed Inland REOC responsibilities until further notice; operational period 0700 - 1700 hours.
- Shasta County EOC is activated at Level 1, operational period 0900-1700 hours; Duty Officer status 08/18/18 - 08/19/18

### **Evacuations**

- 64 persons evacuated along Gilman Rd.

### **Shelter**

- Dignity Health, 200 Mercy Oaks Dr., Redding (standby status)
  - Midnight Count: 0



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Donnell, Vegetation Fire, Tuolumne County**

Location: Near Hwy. 108, Donnell Lake area in the Carson Iceberg Wilderness

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Stanislaus National Forest

Start Date: 08/01/18

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **08/17/18 at 0810 hours**:

- **31,369** acres, **36%** contained
- CA Fed IMT – CentralCal (**Rickard**) in command; **extended until 08/22/18**
- Minimal fire behavior with backing and smoldering
- **Structures remain threatened**
- **Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area**

### **Activations**

- SOC Geo OPS has assumed Inland REOC responsibilities until further notice; operational period 0700 - 1700 hours.
- Tuolumne County EOC is activated at Level 2, operational period 0800-1700 hours

### **Deployments**

- **5** Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians and Trainees
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC

### **FMAG**

- On 08/06/18 at 1236 hours, an FMAG was received and has been placed on hold.

### **Proclamations**

- On 08/08/18, a Local Health Emergency Proclamation was received due to impacts from the Donnell Fire.
- On 08/05/18, a Proclamation was received from Tuolumne County due to the Donnell Fire. No assistance is being requested at this time.

### **Evacuations**

- Residences and campgrounds adjacent to Hwy. 108 between Eagle Meadow Rd. and Kennedy Meadows, Eagle Meadow Rd. and Clark Fork Rd.
- Hwy. 108 closed between Eagle Meadow Rd. and the top of Sonora Pass
- The Pacific Crest Trail (PCT) is closed between Hwy. 108 and Hwy. 4

### **Road Closures**

- Hwy. 108 closed between Eagle Meadow Rd. and the top of Sonora Pass
- The Pacific Crest Trail is closed between Hwy. 108 and Hwy. 4

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta/Trinity Counties**

Location: Hwy. 299 x Carr Powerhouse Rd., Whiskeytown

Jurisdiction: Federal/State DPA, FRA/SRA, Whiskeytown National Park/Shasta-Trinity Unit

Start Date/Time: 07/23/18 at 1316

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **08/17/18 at 0810 hours**:

- **218,598** acres, **75%** contained
- 1,077 residences destroyed, 191 residences damaged
- **Continued threat to Western Area Power Administration (WAPA) towers, which powers numerous Northern Coastal Communities**
- Threat to timberlands both private and federal
- National Guard assigned, assisting in suppression activities
- CAL FIRE IMT-1 (Gouvea), USFS & WNP
- 3 Firefighter fatalities
- 5 Civilian fatalities

### **Activations**

- SOC Geo OPS has assumed Inland REOC responsibilities until further notice; operational period 0700 - 1700 hours.
- Shasta County EOC is activated at Level 1, operational period 0900-1700 hours; **Duty Officer status 08/18/18 - 08/19/18**

### **Deployments**

- 3 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Regional Administrator (Acting)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Deputy Regional Administrator (Acting)
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Senior ESC deployed to Shasta County EOC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Deputy Regional Administrator deployed to SOC Geo Ops
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC deployed to SOC Geo Ops
- **1 Cal OES Inland Region ESC deployed to DRC**
- 1 Cal OES TACCOM Assistant Chief
- 5 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians and Trainees

### **FMAG**

- On 08/03/18, the Trinity County FMAG request was rolled into the same number issued for Shasta County: FEMA-5259-FM-CA.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Carr, Vegetation Fire, Shasta and Trinity Counties (Continued)**

#### **Proclamations**

- On 08/09/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to cut red tape and help streamline recovery efforts in communities impacted by the devastating wildfires that continue to burn in Lake, Siskiyou, Shasta, Mendocino and Napa counties. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)
- On 08/04/18, a Presidential Major Disaster Declaration was approved for Shasta County: DR-4382-CA
- On 08/01/18, Shasta County proclaimed a local health emergency. Shasta County is requesting assistance for CA state with debris removal.
- On 07/31/18, Trinity County proclaimed a local emergency due to the Carr Fire that started on 07/23/18. Trinity County is requesting CDAA and other State/Federal resources to assist with Recovery.
- On 07/27/18, Shasta County and the City of Redding both submitted Emergency Proclamations. Shasta County is also requesting a Governor's Proclamation.
  - On 07/30/18, Shasta County submitted the Ratified Proclamation.
  - On 07/31/18, the City of Redding submitted a Ratified Proclamation.
  - On 08/05/18, the City of Redding submitted a letter to the Cal OES Director requesting direct assistance from the State of California to remove hazardous waste and debris from property within the Carr Fire areas.
- On 07/26/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued emergency proclamations for Riverside and Shasta counties due to the effects of the Cranston and Carr fires, which have destroyed homes and structures, threatened critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)

#### **Animal Shelters**

- Haven Humane Society, 9417 Eastside Rd., Redding
- Tehama District Fairgrounds, 650 Antelope Blvd., Red Bluff

#### **Missions**

- See Cal OES Mission Tasking Attachment

#### **Recovery**

- The Cal OES State Operations Center has begun long term recovery operations for statewide fires.
- Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) open from 0900-1900 hours, Monday-Sunday at 2685 Hilltop Dr., Redding

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Ferguson, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County**

Location: Hwy. 140 x Hite Cove, Near El Portal

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Madera-Mariposa-Merced Unit/Sierra National Forest

Start Date/Time: 07/13/18 at 2035 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of **08/17/18 at 0810 hours**:

- **96,824** acres, 87% contained
- Destroyed Structures: 7 residences, 3 other minor structures
- CA Fed IMT – (Strawhun) in command
- Park Service and Forest Service are in joint delegation
- Moderate fire behavior with flanking and backing
- **Portions of the park remain closed, but are expected to reopen soon as conditions improve**
- **Highway 41 remains closed to the public between Wawona and the Wawona Tunnel**
- **Glacier Point Rd. and Bridalveil Creek Campground remain closed**
- Fire is burning in a high tree mortality area
- 2 Firefighter fatalities
- 2 Civilian fatalities (from fire-related traffic collision)

### **Activations**

- SOC Geo OPS has assumed Inland REOC responsibilities until further notice; operational period 0700 - 1700 hours.
- Mariposa County EOC activated at Level 3

### **Deployments**

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians

### **Proclamations**

- On 07/26/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Mariposa County due to the effects of the Ferguson Fire, which has threatened homes and critical infrastructure and caused power outages and the evacuation of residents. [Click here for full Proclamation](#)
- On 07/15/18, Mariposa County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA to assist with recovery efforts.
  - On 07/19/18, Mariposa County submitted the Ratified Proclamation.

### **Animal Shelters**

- Small Animal Shelter: SPCA of Mariposa County, 5599 CA-49, Mariposa
- Large Animal Shelter: Coarsegold Rodeo Grounds, 44777 Rodeo Grounds Ln., Coarsegold (standby status)

### **Missions**

- See Cal OES Mission Tasking Attachment

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## COASTAL REGION

### Mendocino Complex (River and Ranch), Vegetation Fire, Mendocino/Lake/Colusa Counties

Location: Old River Rd., near Mile Marker Post 7.9, 6 miles N of Hopland

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Mendocino Unit

Start Date: 07/27/18

CAL FIRE IMT – 2 (Kavanaugh), CAIMT – 1 (McGowan)

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/17/18 at 0810 hours:

- 378,720 acres, 76% contained
- National Guard asset, remote piloted aircraft assigned
- 155 structures, 120 minor structures and 1 multiple residence destroyed
- Damage assessment is continuing
- 1 Firefighter fatality

### **Activations**

- Colusa County EOC activated at Level 3

### **Deployments**

- 3 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 11 Cal OES Public Safety Communications Technicians and Trainees

### **FMAG**

- On 07/28/18, an FMAG was received from the River Incident. On 07/28/18, the FMAG was approved by FEMA.
- On 07/29/18, an FMAG was received from the Ranch Incident. On 07/29/18, the FMAG was approved by FEMA.
  - FEMA combined the River and Ranch incidents into one FMAG: FEMA-5262-FM

# FIRE ACTIVITY

## COASTAL REGION (Continued)

### Mendocino Complex (River and Ranch), Vegetation Fire, Mendocino/Lake/Colusa Counties (Continued)

#### **Proclamations**

- On 08/09/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to cut red tape and help streamline recovery efforts in communities impacted by the devastating wildfires that continue to burn in Lake, Siskiyou, Shasta, Mendocino and Napa counties. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)
- On 08/09/18, the City of Lakeport submitted a Ratified Emergency Proclamation.
- On 08/07/18, Colusa County submitted an Emergency Proclamation.
  - On 08/13/18, the Colusa County Emergency Proclamation was ratified by the Board of Supervisors. The County is requesting a Gubernatorial Proclamation as well as State and Federal financial assistance, including CDAA.
- On 07/28/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued Emergency Proclamations for Lake, Mendocino, and Napa counties due to the effects of the River, Ranch, and Steele fires, which have destroyed homes and structures, threatened critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)
- On 07/28/18, Lake County submitted a Proclamation due to the effects of the Mendocino Complex. The County requested all available state and federal assistance.
  - On 08/06/18, Lake County submitted a Resolution and Letter to the Cal OES Director requesting CDAA and a waiver on County's share of cost under CDAA.
  - On 08/07/18, the Lake County Public Health Emergency Proclamation was ratified by the Board of Supervisors.
- On 07/27/18, Mendocino County submitted a Proclamation due to the effects of the Mendocino Complex. The County requested all available state and federal assistance to include CDAA.
  - Ratification received on 08/01/18

#### **Mandatory Evacuations**

- [1,129 persons](#)

##### **Lake County:**

- 776 persons
- East of the Lake-Mendocino County Line, south of the Lake-Mendocino-Glenn County Line, west of the Lake-Colusa County Line, north of SR 20 and the Mendocino National Forest boundary.

##### **Mendocino County:**

- 42 persons
- South of Eel River, west of the Mendocino-Lake county line, east of 10500 block of Mid Mountain Rd., and north of Pine Ave. (precautionary for back-burn operations)

##### **Glenn County:**

- 311 persons
- Mendocino National Forest boundary west to the Lake County line, south to the Colusa County line and north to Forest Rd. 20N07 also known as County Rd. 308.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **COASTAL REGION (Continued)**

### **Mendocino Complex (River and Ranch), Vegetation Fire, Mendocino/Lake/Colusa Counties (Continued)**

#### **Animal Shelters**

- Redwood Riders Arena, 8300 East Rd., Redwood Valley (Small and Large Animals)
- Lakeport, 4949 Helbush, Lakeport (Unknown)
- Twin Pines Casino, 22223 S. State Hwy 29, Middletown (Unknown)
- Mendocino County Animal Shelter, 298 Plant Rd., Ukiah (Small Animals)
- Colusa Red Cross Shelter, 108 E. Main St., Colusa (Pets are with owners outside in RVs and tents)

#### **Recovery**

- The Cal OES State Operations Center has begun long term recovery operations for statewide fires.
- Local Assistance Center: 08/10/18 – 08/17/18, 1000-1900 hours at the Lucerne Alpine Senior Center, 3985 Country Club Rd., Lucerne
  - The Senior Center will continue to distribute food twice a week as a local bank after the closing of the LAC.

### **Natchez, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County**

Location: South of Little Greyback Mtn., 13 miles northwest of Happy Camp

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Rogue River-Siskiyou N.F., Klamath N.F.

Per Cal OES Duty Officers [and ICS-209](#) as of [08/17/18 at 0810 hours](#):

- [16,970 acres](#), 57% contained
- [Low intensity burn operations are taking place to implement suppression strategy](#)
- [Evacuation Warnings continue for Sunstar, Indian Creek and unincorporated areas between Happy Camp and the National Forest boundary](#)
- [Powerlines in the fire area remain de-energized and threatened](#)
- Incident started on the Rogue River-Siskiyou N.F. and has burned onto the Klamath N.F. (approx. [12,364](#) acres burned onto Klamath N.F.)
- [Australian Firefighters assigned in leadership positions](#)
- NR Team 1 (Goicoechea) assigned



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## SOUTHERN REGION

### Holy, Vegetation Fire, Orange/Riverside Counties

Location: Holy Jim Canyon Area

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Cleveland National Forest

Start Date/Time: 08/06/18, 1320 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [08/17/18 at 0810 hours](#):

- 22,986 acres, [85%](#) contained
- CA Fed IMT-SoCal 1 (Fogle) in command
- Destroyed structures: 14 single residences
- [Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering](#)

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief

### **FMAG**

- On 08/08/18, an FMAG was approved by FEMA, FEMA-5268-FM-CA.

### **Proclamations**

- On 08/09/18, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Orange and Riverside counties due to the effects of the Holy Fire, which has threatened critical infrastructure, thousands of homes and other structures and has caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here for the full proclamation](#)
- On 08/09/18, a Local Health Emergency Proclamation was received from Riverside County due to impacts from the Holy Fire. The County is not asking for any state assistance at this time.

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

Riverside County:

- State Route (SR) 74 was closed from 0.5 miles west of the junction of SR 243 at McCall Park Rd. to 3.7 miles east of the junction of SR 243 at Hemet Lake Rd. due to a mudslide. As of 08/16/18 at 1746 hours, the route has reopened.
- SR 243 was closed from the junction of SR 74 to 3 miles north of the junction of SR 74 at Saunders Meadow Rd. due to a mudslide. As of 08/16/18 at 1746 hours, the route has reopened.
- SR 177 was closed from the junction of Interstate 10 to the junction of SR 62 due to 8 downed power poles from a mudslide. As of 08/16/18 at 1732 hours, the route has reopened.

## Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity Slides.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations at this time.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current Hwy. conditions.  
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## California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None Reported

### Service Interruptions:

- None Reported

# WEATHER OF CONCERN

## NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- The San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District will keep the Air Quality Alert in effect for the mountain and foothill portions of Madera, Fresno, and Tulare Counties due to smoke impacts from the Ferguson wildfire west of Yosemite National Park. The Air Pollution Control Districts in Mariposa and Tuolumne Counties have also issued Air Quality Alerts for their counties.
  - The Air Quality Alerts will be in effect until the fire is extinguished.
  - Exposure to particle pollution can cause serious health problems, aggravate lung disease, cause asthma attacks and acute bronchitis, and increase risk of respiratory infections.

## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Monsoonal moisture will bring some thunderstorms mainly to the mountains this afternoon.

### **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>



# WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

**\*\*\* Gusty NE wind and low Relative Humidity (RH) across higher ridges far NW areas Tonight \*\*\***

The offshore trough will slide over the Pacific NW and Northern CA today and tonight. The atmosphere will turn a bit more unstable but moisture will be limiting thus there is only a slight chance of a high based shower forming over Siskiyou county. Otherwise, precipitation activity will be well off to the north and east of the region. Winds will turn northerly (NE-N-NW) across the northern third of the area this afternoon. Peak gusts to 25 mph will affect the higher ridges found within Del Norte and Siskiyou counties with the strongest offshore flow expected tonight across far NW portions of the region. The higher wind across the NW would be accompanied with low humidity. Elsewhere, look for W-SW winds with peak gusts to 25 mph favoring the Delta Region and areas along and east of the Cascade and Sierra Crest.

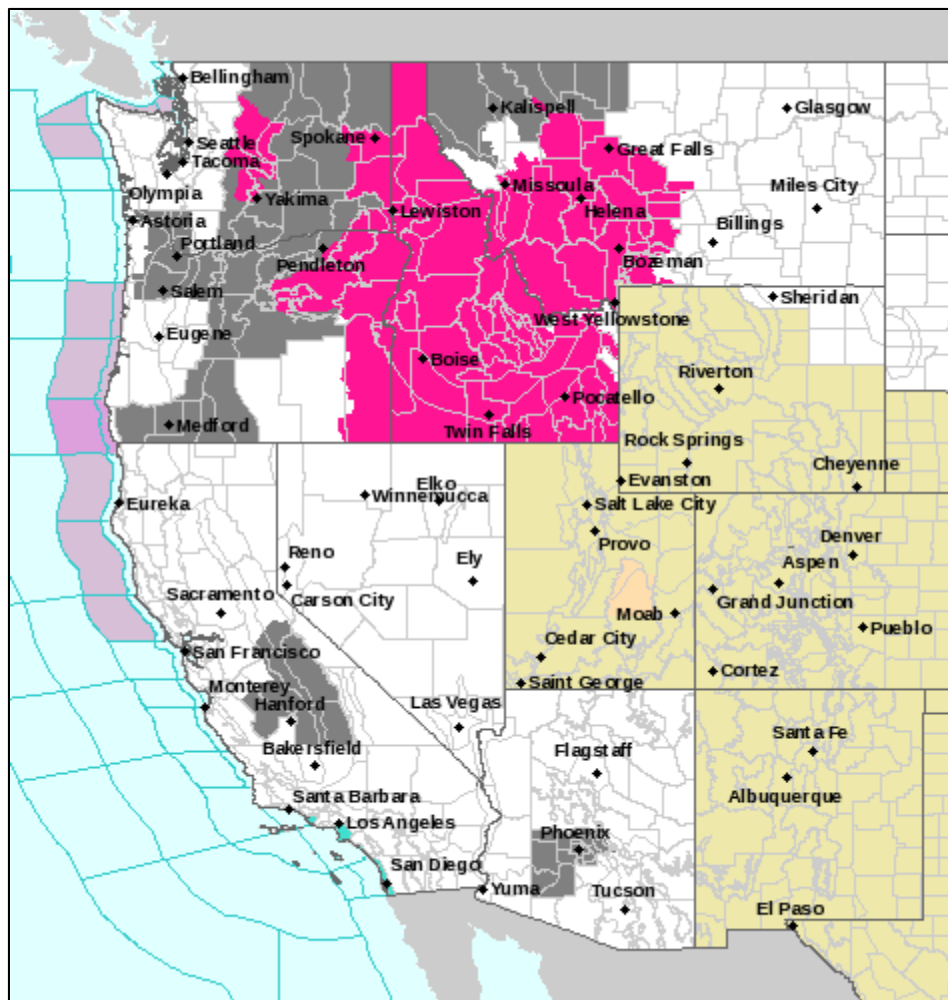
Brief ridging will occur Saturday and lead to above to well above normal temperatures. The wind flow will generally be on the lighter side with just a few afternoon to early evening breezes across the higher ridges of the Coastal Range as well as within the Delta region. Humidity will be quite low, both day and night most areas. Another weak Pacific trough is expected to slide over the Pacific NW and Northern CA region's starting Sunday and lasting into the earlier half of next week. Uncertainty remains for this period due to the alternating placement of the trough and exit timing amongst the different models the past several days. As it stands, temperatures should cool slightly but remain above normal and any sort of precipitation chances should remain north of the area. Wind speeds should increase but shouldn't gust more than 25 mph at this time. Again, confidence is only moderate for this period.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

Instability will decrease as high pressure strengthens over the Desert Southwest, but there will be enough moisture for isolated afternoon thunderstorms over Central California from the Sierra Crest eastward and across the mountains and higher elevation desert locations of Southern California east of I-15 through Saturday. Moisture will decrease ending the thunderstorm threat across the region Sunday. Southeast flow aloft will return to the area as the high pressure area gets pushed to the east bringing isolated thunderstorms back to the mountains and deserts of Southern California east of the Cajon Pass starting Monday afternoon. Moisture and instability will increase bringing scattered thunderstorms to the mountains and deserts Tuesday through Thursday. A disturbance in the flow may bring the possibility of thunderstorms to the coastal and valley locations of Southern California on Tuesday. There will be little change in temperature through Thursday, with upper 70s and 80s across the mountains and 90s to 102 in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be between 20% and 40% through Saturday and then drop to between 15% and 30% Sunday through Thursday. No significant winds are expected through Thursday, except for strong and erratic winds in and near any thunderstorm.



# WEATHER MAP



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **2018-LAW-50433, 08/17/18, 0230 hours:** Nevada County Sheriff's Office requested 40 type 2 searchers and 6 area K-9 searchers for two overdue subjects. A father and son went on a day hike into the Grizzly Creek area to search for their mining claim and are now overdue. Placer, El Dorado, Butte and Yuba Counties along with the State K-9 Coordinator are working on filling that request this morning. **Mission Ongoing.**
- **2018-LAW-50405, 08/16/18, 1320 hours:** The International Emergency Rescue Coordination Center (IERCC) reported a SPOT activation at Lat: 39.367190 long: -120.279390. These coordinates return to the Hidden Gem Trail in Nevada County north of Donner Lake. The emergency contact for the victim was called and she said she received a short broken phone call from the victim stating he was riding his bike and had fallen and broken his collar bone. Nevada County SAR was notified and responding. At 1425 hours, Nevada County advised Truckee Fire Department was out with the subject and was able to drive him out to an area hospital. **Mission Closed.**



# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- For a current list of missions in support of the 2018 Statewide Fires, please see the attached Mission Tracking Spreadsheet.
- **2018-CREOC-48046:** 2018-06-23-Lake-Wildland Fire - DTSC to clear debris from Pawnee Fire.
- **2018-IREOC-47791:** 2018 June Inland Fires - 2 portable air quality monitors were requested; one to be located at the Esparto Community Services District facility, 26490 Woodland Ave., Esparto, and one to be located at the fenced well site, 501 E. Main St., Winters ([Mission Closed](#))
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties (On Scene – Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** 2017 December Wildfires - CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County ([On Scene](#))
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). Mission extended through 05/30/19. (On Scene)



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